



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of
JOCKERS et al.

Examiner: **Wollenberger, Louis**
Art Unit: **1635**

Application No.: **10/774,721**

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Title: OLIGONUCLEOTIDES WHICH INHIBIT EXPRESSION OF THE OB-RGRP PROTEIN AND METHOD FOR DETECTING COMPOUNDS WHICH MODIFY THE INTERACTION BETWEEN PROTEINS OF THE OB-RGRP FAMILY AND THE LEPTIN RECEPTOR

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In response to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2005 the period for response having been extended three months to March 7, 2006 in accordance with the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the specification are found on page 2.

Claims appear below starting on page 3.

Remarks commence on page 7.